



CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT

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WHAT: SHEEP CREEK ROAD CLOSURE

WHEN: MAY 15 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 19, 2006

WHERE: SR-138 AT SHEEP CREEK ROAD

As the work progresses for the State Route 138 Safety Improvement Project, it has become necessary to close Sheep Creek Rd. at the junction of SR-138. The closure will take place Monday through Saturday from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., May 15 to September 19, 2006. The closure will allow heavy equipment to cross through the construction zone, while increasing safety for motorists and the workers.

The \$44 million project began in early April 2006 to construct west and eastbound truck climbing lanes, rehabilitate pavement, and widen the shoulders to eight feet for emergency access. The curve west of Lone Pine Canyon will also be realigned. It is expected to be complete in spring 2008.

To expedite the project, two sections of the route will be closed over the next two summers. In addition, flagging will take place outside the closure Monday through Thursday from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and on Fridays from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Minor delays are expected during traffic control.

- ✓ SR-138 from SR-2 to Beekley Rd. will be closed from June 19, 2006 through September 19, 2006
- ✓ SR-138 from SR-2 to Hess Rd. will be closed from June 19, 2007 through September 19, 2007 (exact dates to be determined next year)

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